

# THE CHAMPION CHRONICLE

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## Soil Research

In all countries research is the most important work in agriculture and in this, as in other branches of science, Canada has taken a leading part. At the present time, with reference to the soil, there are 109 separate undertakings in soils, over 100 separate projects in soils, and 100 projects listed as being under way in Canada. The number of projects alone does not cover the scope of the work being done on soil problems. Because of the broad scope of research and experimental work in the investigation of soils, and the varying fundamental studies of the soil, spread through the whole field of soil-plant relationship in crop production, it is obviously difficult, as "Scientific Agriculture," to cover more than a very broad classification. To indicate something of the field of investigation covered, the projects may be grouped roughly as follows:—soil survey, 10 projects; soil chemistry, 16; soil fertility, (field experiments and

correlated laboratory investigations); soil cultivation, 5; and soil micro-organisms, 1. It is evident from this that there is opportunity for considerable development in the field of fundamental laboratory investigation in all the provinces.

L. L. Rumans who has been in the service of the Alberta Government Telephones for the past fifteen years, and who has been the trouble man in connection with the telephones in this district for several years, recently resigned. Mr. Rumans, with his family, expects to locate down by the river where he is going into the chicken business.

Lost—A lap robe between Andrew Horthwaite and Champion. Finder please return and receive reward. J. M. Moffatt

## Organize Mutual

### Telephone Company

At a meeting held in the Bissell school on Feb. 25th, a mutual telephone company was organized to take over certain telephone lines as purchased from Alberta Government Tel. Dept. and to operate under the name of Bissell Mutual Telephone Co. Champion, Alta.

The following were elected as officers for the year: president, J. E. Carlson; secretary, N. A. Carlson; directors, H. McNaughton, A. J. Miller, A. M. McGraw. Mr. R. E. Phillips of the Government Telephones was present to give information and assistance in organizing the company.

Bissell Mutual Telephone Company took over operation of lines north east of Champion on April 1st, the following is a list of subscribers and revised numbers:

R-911 Cain J. W.  
R-910 Caldwell F. A.  
R-1034 Carlson J. E.  
R-1030 Carlson T. P.  
R-1031 Carlson N. A.  
R-912 Egan J.  
R-1018 Ferguson Adam  
R-1015 Howerton H. E.  
R-1009 Johnson Neil W.  
R-1012 Johnson Mrs. M.  
R-1013 Johnson Conrad Jr.  
R-1003 McTavish Bert (Mine)  
R-1002 McNaughton H.  
R-912 Miller A. J.  
R-1008 Miller W. R.  
R-1007 Popoff M. (Vulcan Mine)  
R-933 Smith Mine  
R-910 Upham Gordon  
R-910 Vanesien Julie (Mine)  
R-902 Watkins W.

## Concert Poorly Attended

No doubt the weather on Saturday evening prevented many from hearing the Vulcan Concert Orchestra as the attendance was small. It is a pity as they are an aggregation of musical artists that compare with the best. It was a treat that should not have been missed, and worthy of whole hearted support.

## Girl Guide Notes

Information concerning the cost of tickets to the Jamboree in Calgary on Easter Monday has been received. The return fare for adults is \$1.80, and for children under twelve, 90 cents. A ticket of admission to the Jamboree for those travelling by special train is 25 cents. To others, 35 cents and 50 cents.

Since the money for these tickets has to be sent to Calgary by Monday 15th, anyone wishing to go to the Jamboree must make arrangements with Miss Martin before noon on Saturday 13th.

The train will leave Champion about 11:30 and arrive at Calgary about 2:30. The return train will leave Calgary about 11:30 and arrive at Champion about 1:30 a.m. April 23rd.

The Guides are now selling tickets to the Easter Tea, and hope that their friends will respond generously, as the amount raised before Saturday depends the number of Guides who can go to the Jamboree.

Weather conditions are getting warmer, melting the snow and making some of the side roads muddy and slippery, the moisture is going into the ground nicely.

The demand for frozen poultry in England still continues at satisfactory prices, 30,892 boxes having been exported from Canada from January 1 to March 23, 1935, a very large increase over the shipments in the corresponding period of 1934.

## Spring Snow Storm Brings Needed Moisture

A spring snow storm in April with mid winter intensity greeted the people of the district Monday morning. The snow that had been falling lightly during Sunday started drifting when the wind got up shortly after midnight and the temperature ranged about ten above zero. It is what the country needs, a good snow storm to start off the spring seedling, as the top soil was dry. Farmers will welcome this moisture, though the drifts make travelling a little inconvenient.

## Witness Hockey Game

Seven cars travelled to Lethbridge Monday evening to see the hockey game between Calgary and the All Stars. The fans were well pleased with the game they saw. All cars managed to get through all right, but coming home shovelling had to be done in one or two spots.

## Hear District Report

The Champion W. I. met at the home of Mrs. R. W. Johansen on Tuesday, April 9th. The report of the District Convention at Lethbridge was given by Mrs. Johansen. Mrs. B. Hurniak gave an interesting summary of car rent events of the past month. Miss Martin gave a most interesting and educational address on "The Trend of Modern Fiction." Tea was served by Mrs. W. B. Jorgenson and Mrs. Johansen.

## Visit of W. G. M.

Mrs. Margaret Logie of Calgary, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Alberta, O. E. S. made her official visit to Champion Chapter on Thursday evening, April 4th. She approved highly of the work of the chapter which she found comparatively in the highest class.

A banquet followed in which many addresses were delivered. Out of town visitors included Mrs. Waite, Grand Esther, of Cochrane, Miss Mary Henderson of Maple Leaf Chapter Lethbridge, members from Camrose and Vulcan.

Boy Scouts in uniform will canvas this district on Saturday April 13th and Sunday April 14th for Silver Jubilee Cancer Fund, according to word received from the president of the local chapter at Lethbridge. All cash donations, regardless of the amount, the scouts will leave an envelope bearing the name and address of the Countess of Bessborough. The Scouts are not collecting funds. Those wishing to contribute should then endorse their contribution and mail the envelope. No stamp is required. They will then receive a personal acknowledgement from Lady Bessborough from Ottawa.

## "The FIRESIDE PHILOSOPHER" By ALFRED BIGGS

Safety often lies in silence.

True heroes seek no medals.

The heart often feels the head.

Ability rarely descends to tricks.

In deceiving others we deceive ourselves.

Loss your temper and you lose the argument.

Generosity often is merely a bid for popularity.

One is rarely as glad or as miserable as he thinks he is.

## Champion Theatre

Wednesday, April 17th

## The Power and

## The Glory

Spencer Tracy and Colleen Moore

Good entertainment and an excellent performance by Spencer Tracy

Wednesday, April 17th Show at 8.30

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Premier Vacuum Cleaner Polishing Brush Brand Now and won't be bought again at these prices.

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Hot Plate \$3.00 Watt Reg \$3.00 for \$2.75

## See W. I. HARRIS

## Dance at Champion

Friday, April 12th

To the Music of the

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Featuring

Oscar Wagner, Western Canada's Famous

Whispering Tenor, and other artists

Popular Prices: Ladies 25c Gents 50c

There's always a Crowd at Champion

Only 10,053,159 bushels of foreign wheat entered Canada in 1934. Of this amount Canada supplied 9,693,539 bushels.

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Prairie Dry Wind

The humidity of the air acts as a check on evaporation from the surface of the ground and also from the leaves and other parts of plants. Relative humidity is greatest in the vicinity of large bodies of water and on the western slopes of British Columbia. The wind blowing over the Pacific ocean becomes charged with moisture and in reaching the Coast Mountain range is forced to descend. It grows cooler until saturation point is reached when the excess moisture is deposited as rain. Passing over the mountains it descends, becomes warmer, and reaches the dry belt as a dry wind. On arriving at the still higher elevations of the Selkirks and Rocky Mountains, it again parts with more moisture and reaches the eastern slopes of the mountains and the prairies as quite a dry wind. Wind, as a rule in Canada, blows with greatest force on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, on the shores of the Great Lakes, and over the prairies.

Herb Williams sold 60 head of cattle to a buyer, who is taking them to Chicago. They brought a good price.

LIBERTY'S  
CANADIAN  
HALL OF FAME  
No. 2

Dr. Allan Roy Dafee, world famous as a doctor, who has saved the quintuplets of Mr. and Mrs. Diamond six times, died last Saturday, five feet six inches, shorter because of bagsy childhood. He was 80. He was born at Calais, N. Y., but had lived in Ontario, than the highest and most celebrated in New York, and had practised in the Diamond Job for 40 years.

house—\$2 each for the five of them. This is his rate for a baby—\$3. He has treated 1,000, mostly French Canadians, into the world, making \$4,800 worth of money. He has never had a patient ever gone to a hospital. One night he drove four hours to a house in a country place where a woman shot in the brain. She was frozen and unconscious, but he brought her to life. Some time later he delivered her of a baby boy. He read like newspaper stories in an amateur fashion, and the Diamond Job brought to him. These men living with women, crippled, lame, men absurd, unhealthy, unloving. Expects to live thirty more years.

Local & General

George Duquesne left for the Coast on Sunday.

Miss Helen Farmer is home convalescing from the flu.

Stores will be open Wednesday afternoon, April 17th.

Miss A. McNaughton is a patient in the Vulcan hospital.

Charlie Starr is convalescing following a recent illness in Calgary.

Mr. B. Anderson and Son, from Anderson were Calgary visitors Friday.

Big Supply Easter Eggs and Novelties. Stock limited, buy at Campbell's.

Mr. Ogilvie of Calgary, visited his daughter of the hospital staff here, last week.

Champion Machineries unloaded a carload of Case tractors on Saturday.

Dripolite the fruit proof Coffee Pot, 2 cup size. Just a few left at Campbell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Davis, returned from California where they spent the winter.

Norman Harris and Oscar Bisson of Barons were Champion visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Frame, Alex Frame and Paul Diemert are leaving for Kimberley, B. C. on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gatenby left last week for their home in Ontario.

Mr. F. G. Bannister, barrister and solicitor, of Carmangay, will be in Champion Tuesday morning at the Chronicle office.

Garden Seeds in packages or bulk "Everything for the Garden" at Campbell's.

Miss F. Woodhull, accompanied by A. Murray of Lethbridge, were Champion visitors Thursday and Friday of last week.

Alterations are being made in the Sam Fong cafe, the booths are being rearranged and it is intended to put in a lunch counter.

The Vulcan Women's Convalescent club was formed at a meeting in Vulcan on Wednesday night. Mrs. H. N. Head, secretary, and Mrs. H. L. Lamont is on the executive.

Miss Grace Genovese of Carmangay who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Carmangay hospital on Tuesday of last week, is progressing favorably.

New Spring Caps for boys and men, from 35¢ to \$1.00 at Campbell's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Joling and family intend moving to the farm to day (Thursday), and Mr. Joling Sr., who has been living on the farm will come to town.

Mr. Griffin, reeve of Harmony Municipality visited Edmonton Monday conferring with officials of the government of the province on the matter of the highway liabilities.

Gold Medal Baby Chick Starter. Give these chicks a good start, 10 lbs. for 40¢ at Campbell's.

Word recently received from Mrs. Pugsley, now of Missoula, indicates that she has recovered from her recent operation, and expects to return to Champion sometime in the near future.

Canadian Pacific Announces

Bargain Fares to Coast.

Bargain fares to the Pacific Coast which were offered the public last Spring are repeated this Spring. It is to be repeated that this Spring, it was announced by J. S. Collins. Tickets will be on sale April 13th to 20th inclusive, with 21 days return limit, and will be available at Banff, Nelson and Revelstoke. The privilege of these fares will be the privilege of tourists or standard sleepers at slightly higher rate and usual berth charge. The special cent-a-mile fare good in connection with these fares.

Springtime is a particularly delightful season on the Coast and indications are many will avail themselves of the low fares and make the trip at this season.

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Crepe and Service weight  
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8 1/2 to 10 per pair \$1.00

Broadcloth Shirts

Blue, White or Sand with attached  
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Ladies Chinchucker Scarfs

Snappy styles, large range  
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New Easter Caps

for Men and Boys in a  
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This Store will be open all day Wednesday 17 April

Sweet Mixed Pickle in Fancy quart jars each 38¢

Fresh bulk Dates for 29¢  
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Rowntree Cocoa 35¢  
2 lb. packet

Muskeetee \$1.00  
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